Amildar to furnish a report on the number of travellers that halted at the place during a period of three months. No further action appears to have been taken in the matter. The matter may be kindly enquired into and arrangements made for opening a *chattram* at Kumsi.

Reply of Government.—No new *chattram* can be opened there.

SUBJECT No. 362.

Repairs to the temple of Sri Horihole Basavannadevaru at Chikkapur.

Messrs. Sanganabasappa and Ramani Channaveerappa, Shikarpur taluk.

Summary of discussion.—This temple is one of antiquity built by the ancient Rajas of Nagar and held in high esteem by the pilgrims from distant places who congregate at the time of car festival in the month of *Magha*. The temple is in disrepair and its *Chandrasala* has completely fallen down. The restoration of the temple may cost Rs. 5,000. As the devotees have already paid up a contribution of Rs. 1,000 for the purpose, it is prayed that the work may be undertaken early.

Reply of Government.—Desirable work; will be considered.

SUBJECT No. 363.

Puduvat funds of Sri Kaitabheswara Swami temple at Anavatti and of Sri Anjaneyadevaru temple at Hurli to be handed over to the *Dharmadarsis*.

Mr. Rama Rao, Sorab taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The *puduvat* funds at the disposal of these institutions in possession of Government yield a low rate of interest. These amounts may be handed over to the *Dharmadarsis* of these institutions for investment yielding better incomes, so that the yield may be used for some services of the institutions concerned.

Reply of Government—Will be enquired into.

SUBJECT No. 364.

Repairing the temple of Sri Ranganathadevaru at Sorab.

Mr. Nadig Bhaskar Rao, Shimoga District Board.

Summary of discussion.—The *Chandrasala* of this temple is in a dilapidated condition. Slight temporary repairs were executed to it last year. The *Chandrasala* and car have to be rebuilt early. If the work is to be kept in abeyance until sufficient funds are accumulated, it is likely that the existing structure will collapse. It is therefore prayed that the repairs of this temple and its car may be kindly sanctioned out of the State grant.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 365.

Free residential quarters for officials of the Excise, Forest and Educational departments at Kallurkatte.

Messrs. Mylarappa and N Subba Rao, Nagar taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The officials of the Excise, Forest and Educational departments have not been provided with residential quarters at Kallurkatte and are now very much inconvenienced for accommodation as the town is not a flourishing one. It is prayed that suitable quarters for the officials of these departments may be caused to be constructed similar to those for the officials of the Revenue and Police departments.

Reply of Government.—Noted.